In the Claims:

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2. A nonvolatile storage system comprising:

a controller capable of receiving commands from a host; and

a nonvolatile memory storage coupled to said controller, said storage organized in blocks, with each block having one or more sectors of data, wherein said controller, in response to receiving a command from said host to rewrite one

or more, but not all, sectors of data that are stored in a particular block, said controller writes said data for said sectors to be rewritten to a new block without moving the data in the sectors in said particular block that the host did not specify in the command to be

rewritten.

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- 3. A nonvolatile storage system comprising:
- 2 a host for sending commands
- a controller coupled to said host for receiving host commands; and
- 4 nonvolatile storage coupled to said controller for storing sector information organized into
- 5 blocks,
- 6 wherein said controller receives a command from said host for writing updated one or
- 7 more sector information into a location within the nonvolatile storage defined by a
- 8 particular block having previous sector information and wherein said controller writes said
- 9 updated one or more sector information to said new block thereby avoiding moving all the
- previous sector information every time the host sends a command.
- 1 4. A nonvolatile storage system as recited in claim 3 wherein the controller further
- 2 receives additional commands from the host for further writing, one or more times, sector
- 3 information without moving the previous sector information every time sector information is
- 4 updated.

- 1 5. A nonvolatile storage system as recited in claim 3 wherein the previous sector
- 2 information is moved from the particular block at a time later than when the controller writes
- 3 said updated one or more sector information to said new block.
- 1 6. A nonvolatile storage system as recited in claim 5 wherein the particular block is
- 2 erased at a time later than when the previous sector is moved from the particular block.
- 1 7. A nonvolatile storage system comprising:
- 2 a host for sending commands;
 - a controller coupled to said host for receiving host commands; and
 - nonvolatile storage coupled to said controller for storing sector information
- 5 organized into blocks,

wherein said controlled receives a command from said host for writing updated one or more sector information into a location within the nonvolatile storage defined by a particular block having previous sector information and wherein said controller writes said updated one or more sector information to said new block thereby avoiding moving all the

previous sector information every time the host sends a write command.

- 1 8. A nonvolatile storage system as recreed in claim 7 wherein the controller further
- 2 receives additional commands from the host for further writing, one or more times, sector
- 3 information without moving the previous sector information every time sector information is
- 4 updated.
- 1 9. A nonvolatile storage system as recited in claim \7 wherein the previous sector
- 2 information is moved from the particular block at a time later than when the controller writes
- 3 said updated one or more sector information to said new block.
- 1 10. A nonvolatile storage system as recited in claim 9 wherein the particular block is
- 2 erased at a time later than when the previous sector is moved from the particular block.

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11. A method of updating information in nonvolatile storage having a controller coupled
to a host and the nonvolatile storage comprising:
receiving a command from the host for updating one or more sector information into a

- receiving a command from the host for updating one or more sector information into a location within the nonvolatile storage defined by a particular block having previous sector information;
- selecting a new block within the nonvolatile storage; and
- writing said updated one or more sector information to said new block without moving the previous sector information.

1 12. A method of updating information as recited in claim 11 further including the step of

- 2 receiving further commands from the host for further updating, one or more times, sector
- 3 information wherein the previous sector information is not moved every time sector
- 4 information is updated.

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- 1 13. A method of updating information as recited in claim 11 further including the step of
- 2 moving the previous sector information from the particular block at a time later than said
- 3 writing step of claim 11.
- 1 14. A method of updating information as recited in claim 13 further including erasing the
- 2 particular block at a time later than said moving step of claim 13.

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